

Week 6 Term 4



# Wyoming Public School

## UPCOMING EVENTS

**Tuesday 14 & 21 November**

Year 6 Cultural Program

**Wednesday 15 November**

Mini Fete

**Thursday 16 November**

K-6 Assembly - 3/4W item

**Friday 17 & 24 November**

Swimming for Sport

**Friday 1 December**

Book club due - online orders only

## PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE

Hello to all,

### COUNTDOWN IS ON

Can you believe we are in Week 6 and all things "end of year" are quickly approaching!

Last week we sent Mrs Maddy Abbot off on her maternity leave and we now wait for news of the arrival of her bub. We welcome Miss Kiara Priestland who will be the KA class teacher for the rest of the year.

Make sure you keep an eye on our school website calendar for information about upcoming events.

### LMG LEADERSHIP EVENING

Congratulations to our Leadership Team and Dance Troup who last week participated in the Valley Schools Leadership Evening 2023.

It was a pleasure to watch the presentations and performances from our partner Local Management Group Schools. It illustrated the wonderful standard of students that we have.

All presentations were focussed on the promotion of wellbeing – our leadership team have been promoting Wellbeing Wednesday across the school and discussing strategies that students can use such as discussing any concerns or worries that they may have with a responsible adult or incorporating some exercise into their daily routine.

Thank you also to Mrs Jessica Evans who coordinated our leadership project and Mrs Lara Lenton and Miss Jessica Evan for their support of our students during the evening.



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## **SUPERVISION BEFORE SCHOOL**

As the mornings become lighter, we have seen a significant increase in the number of students who are arriving at school before 8.30am. While we understand that for some children, arrival at 8.15am is unavoidable we have had several children turning up before 8.00am. This is not appropriate as teachers attend meetings most mornings and there is no supervision available. Please ensure that your child is leaving the house at an appropriate time to arrive to school no earlier than 8.30am.

## **A MESSAGE FROM THE SMITH FAMILY ABOUT SAVER PLUS**

Saver Plus is funded by ANZ and the Australian Government Department of Social Services. This not-for-profit program aims to help eligible participants with free online financial education workshops and \$500 matched savings for education costs such as laptop, uniforms, books, sports equipment, excursions, etc. The program started in 2003 and has helped more than 58,000 Australians.

### **Program eligibility criteria include:**

- be studying OR have a child in school (can be starting school next year)
- have a current Health Care or Pensioner Concession Card and eligible Centrelink payment
- have regular income from work (either yourself or your partner)\* or other income
- be 18+ years old
- Never completed Saver Plus in the past

\*Please note that Saver Plus accepts Child Support Payment, Carer payment, as well as employment and casual payment in the income criteria

Some program details and eligibility criteria can be found at <https://www.thesmithfamily.com.au/programs/financial/saver-plus>

Take Care

Rebecca Wild

**PRINCIPAL**

## **P&C UPDATE**

As the weather is warming up, please remember to label drink bottles and other items so they can be returned when lost.

Hats are in stock and available to purchase from the canteen \$20 cash only. Get in early for next year and grab one now!

Next P&C meeting is Monday 20th November 1:30pm - all welcome!

Thank you

Sarah Viola

**P&C PRESIDENT**



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## CERTIFICATE OF MERIT

Avanah R  
 Kade T  
 Calum P  
 Storm B  
 Aubree E  
 Harry D  
 Cooper A  
 Kiara T  
 Liam B  
 Brody C  
 Noah B  
 Jazmin S  
 Heidi B  
 Sunday R  
 Connor S  
 Ava S  
 Nicolas A  
 Caleb D  
 Timothy M  
 Zac D  
 Harrison J  
 Julia P  
 Tyler A W  
 Mathew D  
 Victoria G  
 Indigo P  
 Kimora S  
 Tayah C  
 Kayden T  
 Kimberly D  
 Cooper H  
 Olivia B  
 Lachlan P  
 Mia C  
 Nate S

## PRINCIPAL AWARDS

Matari M  
 Annabelle P  
 Olivia S  
 Brody C  
 Matthew C  
 Max R  
 Harper B  
 Sophia-Grace H-W  
 Charli H  
 Evie T  
 Bailey S  
 Riverlee W  
 Kaythrie K  
 Alleyna M  
 Lucas L  
 Alisha S  
 Finn H  
 Katelyn K  
 Jack T  
 Elijah T  
 Avanah R  
 Kiarra M  
 Hoorain F  
 Harlow M  
 Harry D  
 Ariyah M  
 Riley W  
 Uriah P  
 Lawson C  
 Josie S  
 Zachary D  
 Darren H-W  
 Tyler Abel W  
 Thomas C  
 Christopher H

Luca H  
 Harrison J  
 Harlow C  
 Zachary M  
 Tate D  
 Kimora S  
 Emily S  
 Grace P  
 Haylee H  
 Natalie R  
 Henri K  
 Charlotte M  
 Penelope H  
 Cooper H  
 Sophia M  
 Mitchell G  
 Xavier B  
 Romen B  
 Mason K  
 Inga R  
 Kami R  
 Thor H  
 Arizona W  
 Aurora P-T  
 Kade T  
 Victoria G  
 Noreen A  
 Jaxson V-P  
 Yuin C-C  
 Riley C  
 Maliha J  
 Cherys B  
 Jayden L  
 Jasmin W  
 Ryan G

## HONOUR CERTIFICATE

Kristine S J  
 Hunter T  
 Phoenix B  
 RA H  
 Ivy S  
 Lacey H  
 Beau J  
 Kamilah S  
 Lachlan G  
 Zokjang T  
 Hope P  
 Lily-Rose H  
 Michael N  
 Kyewaune C  
 Mia C  
 Joshua R  
 Mia G  
 Nate S  
 Izak S  
 Kaiden J  
 Matilda S

Olivia B  
 Charlotte V  
 Henry V  
 Eleiya M



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## VALLEY SCHOOLS LEADERSHIP COMMUNITY CELEBRATION EVENING

Congratulations to our parliamentarians for presenting their wellbeing project at the Valley Schools Leadership Community Celebration Evening. They did a fantastic job and should be very proud. Well done to our dance group who performed on the night and also did an amazing job!



# WYOMING PS - FORTNIGHTLY WELLBEING FOCUS

Each fortnight we are going to have a whole school wellbeing focus. There is a display on one of the library windows to remind students and parents what our fortnightly focus is and resources to help. Below are what our focuses are for each fortnight:

## **10: School holiday focus**

### **Term 4, 1**

**Focus** - Be active: Being active is good for our brains. It helps regulate our emotions and promotes positive mental wellbeing. The focus for this week is to be active! Some suggestions are: at recess and lunch play an active game with friends, when you get home in the afternoon go into your backyard and play a game with your family.

### **Weeks 2-3**

**Focus** - Be kind to your mind: Find some time to participate in mindfulness and relaxation activities. This can include activities that make you feel calm and relaxed. Some examples are colouring, listening to music, yoga, drawing, reading and going for a walk with your family.

### **Weeks 4-5**

**Focus** - Learn something new: We are encouraging all students to learn a new skill or hobby! Ask a friend or family member to teach you something new.

### **Weeks 6-7**

**Focus** - Be kind to our friends: Random acts of kindness are doing things for a family member or friend that will make them feel loved or happy. Some examples are write a nice letter for a loved one, draw a picture for your friend, tell your family or friend something you like about them.

### **Weeks 8-9**

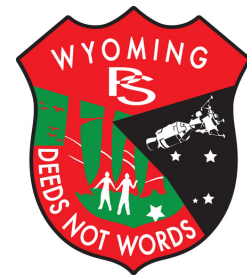
**Focus** - Be thankful: What are you thankful for this year? What is something that has happened this year or you have achieved that you are thankful for? Have a conversation with your family or friends and reflect on the year 2023.

## **WYOMING PS PARLIAMENTARIANS**



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## After School Care at Wyoming Public School.

Do you need After School Care at Wyoming Public School for a child starting in 2024?

The current trial service continues into Term 1 in 2024. The service is delivered by Gosford Regional Community Services Inc. a local charitable and not for profit organisation, with an office at Wyoming Community Centre.

To enrol, parents should complete the application form at this link <https://wpsoshc.hubworks.com.au/> and select WAITLIST.

Please note the form is best completed using a tablet, laptop, or desktop computer rather than a mobile phone.

There is quite a lot of information to be provided including the following:

- Birth Certificate (document to be uploaded)
- Vaccination Certificate (Document to be uploaded)
- Medicare Number
- CRN number for child and parents
  - All medical information including, if relevant, Asthma/Anaphylaxis/Allergy plans, copies of diagnosis and/or treatment medical plans
- Court orders if applicable
- Full details for emergency contacts

Booking for 2024 will be confirmed during the first week in December.

Phone 43237483 or email [oshc@grcs.org.au](mailto:oshc@grcs.org.au) for further information.